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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Sandra L. Brase
Tadanobu YOSHIKAWA	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Application No.: 10/668,308	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 4304
Filed: September 24, 2003	)	
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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS	)	March 22, 2005
ADOPTING IMAGE BEARING	:	
MEMBER CLEANER-LESS SYSTEM )		

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
Post Office Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED SHEETS OF THE DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of an Official Action, dated December 22, 2004, in the above-identified application. A Response to the Official Action is due on March 22, 2005, and is being filed concurrently herewith.

Enclosed are two (2) replacement sheets of corrected formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding sheets presently on file in the application. In the substitute sheets, reference character "S4" has been changed to --S2-- in Figures 1 and 12 to avoid objections raised in the Official Action.

It is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been added.

Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly requested.

*Approved  
SJB  
6/1/05*